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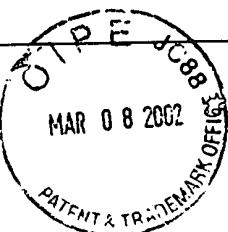
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Re: Pedro Queiroz Vieira

Serial No.: 10/050,694

Filed: 01/16/2002

For: Evaporative Container For Volatile
Substances



Group Art Unit: 3727

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Docket No.: NEU36

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Please find the following correspondence items enclosed for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application.
2. Fee Transmittal (in duplicate).
3. Declaration For Patent Application And Power Of Attorney.
4. Patent Assignment Cover Sheet with attached Assignment.
5. Return receipt postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application Number	10/050,694
Filing Date	01-16-2002
First Named Inventor	Vieira
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METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number	502079
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Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. Payment Enclosed:

Check Credit card Money Order Other

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195 Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155 Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220 Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40
146	710	246	355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	

FEE CALCULATION

1. **BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201 355 Utility filing fee	370
106	320	206 160 Design filing fee	
107	490	207 245 Plant filing fee	
108	710	208 355 Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214 75 Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)			370

2. **EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
22	-20** = 2	X 9 = 18	
	- 3*** =	X =	
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
103	18	203 9 Claims in excess of 20	
102	80	202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	270	204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	80	209 40 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)			18

*or number previously paid, if greater. For Reissues, see above

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) **105**

SUBMITTED BY

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CONFIRMATION NO. 5128
FORMALITIES LETTER



Date Mailed: 02/11/2002

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- o The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- o Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$18.
 - \$18 for 2 total claims over 20.
- o The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- o To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- o **The balance due by applicant is \$ 453.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

Melvin E. Weber

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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01 FC:201	170.00	IP
02 FC:203	18.00	IP
03 FEE:205	65.00	IP